

Judge Charles Mason Residence
Burlington, Iowa
Des Moines Co.

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District No. 30

ADDENDUM
FOLLOWS...

Historic American Buildings Survey
J.A. Dougher, District Officer
310 Old Colony Building
Des Moines, Iowa

Addendum to
Judge Mason House
931 6th Street
Burlington
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Heritage Conservation and Recreation Service
Department of the Interior
Washington, D.C. 20243

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| STATE IOWA | COUNTY DES MOINES | TOWN OR VICINITY BURLINGTON |
| HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) JUDGE MASON HOUSE | | HABS NO. IA-3 |
| SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE | | |
| COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES) 931 N. 6th Street | | |
| DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) Circa 1866 | ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE) Attributed to Louis Lloyd and David Reid | |
| SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) This Second Empire style house was built for Judge Charles Mason, first chief justice of the Iowa Territory Supreme Court. | | |
| STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE) Second Empire | | |
| MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) Laid on an ashlar foundation, load-bearing walls are of brick | | |
| SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE) This painted brick structure is 47'-10" square in plan (three-bay front) with a rear ell projecting 47'-6". The house is two-and-a-half stories in height. | | |
| EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE The mansard roof is pierced with three large dormers on the front. The house contains two entrance porches. | | |
| INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED) Modified central hall plan. | | |
| MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES | | |
| PRESENT CONDITION AND USE Good, apartments. | | |
| OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE | | |
| SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDE LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.) Shank, Wesley I., <u>The Iowa Catalog: Historic American Buildings Survey</u> , University of Iowa Press, Iowa City, 1979 | | |
| COMPILER, AFFILIATION Kent R. Newell, Historic American Buildings Survey | | DATE 8/1/80 |